FISCAL NOTE

SB 1813

February 11, 2005

SUMMARY OF BILL: Authorizes legislators to be paid mileage for attending public hearings and meetings concerning state and local issues held more than twenty-five miles from the legislator's home but within the legislator's district.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - \$131,100

Assumptions:

- Approximately one-half of the legislators would attend an average of 12 public hearings or meetings per year and the average mileage would be 70 miles (66 members x 12 meetings x 70 miles x .35 = \$19,400.)
- Per diem expenses for one-half of the legislators (66 members x \$141 per diem x 12 meetings = \$111,672).

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director